## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Reinhard Koch

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For: MODULAR UNIT COMPRISING A

BUSH FOR CHAIN DRIVES

Group: 4165

Examiner: Stephen M. Bowes

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## **REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Reply is being timely filed in response to the Office Action dated July 30, 2008.

Please amend the application without prejudice as noted in detail below.